



NO OTHER gODS

— 30 Days of Worship —

DAY 28

— Household gods / Direction / Body —

READ

Psalm 100

¹ *Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!*

² *Serve the Lord with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing!*

³ *Know that the Lord, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of
his pasture.*

⁴ *Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!*

⁵ *For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all
generations.*

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REFLECT

This is a psalm of celebration and thanksgiving.

What are some of the things we are commanded to do?

Look a little more closely at verse three. How does this verse speak to your identity and need for direction?

Household gods or family idols try to steal God's place in this area, and they can cause us to feel chained to certain traditions or objects in order to feel that we are on the right path.

How does this feeling compare to the psalmist's tone?

Can you sense the freedom and joyful tone of Psalm 100?

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RESPOND

As you go throughout the next 24 hours (and beyond) make a joyful noise to the Lord at every opportunity. Worship him along the way as you serve those around you with gladness. Remain focused on his presence as much as possible, and *sing* whenever you can!

Raise your arms to the sky or fall on your knees as you worship. Stomp your feet and clap your hands when you can, and remind your soul that the Lord is God. He is your Creator, you belong to him; he is your Good Shepherd. Give thanks to him, and specifically name things for which you are thankful.

Sing praise to him for his faithfulness and unending love!